GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1036
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REGISTRATION OF UNION IN MTNL
BALIRAM

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Ltd. Has not accorded approval to the list of Protective workman sent by the Unions gaining more than 15 percent of votes;

(b) if so, the reasons therefore alongwith the time by which the said list would be released;

(c) whether the Labour Commissioner and the Deputy LabourCommissioner (Central) have written to the Registrar. Trade Unions for cancelling the registration of those Unions under the Trade Union Act, 1926, which gain less than 15 percent votes or which do not contest elections in the Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Ltd;

(d) if not, the reasons therefore; and

(e) the time by which the registration of Union gaining less than 15 percent of votes would be cancelled under the Trade Union Act, 1926?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI ASHOK PRADHAN)

(a): MTNL has received applications for according approval to the list of protective workman sent by the unions.

(b): The applications are under process for according approval within the frame work of the provisions of the I.D. Act, 1947 and Central Rules, 1957;

(c): The Trade Union Act, 1926 has no such provision for cancelling the registration of trade unions which gain less than 15% votes.

(d)&(e): Does not arise.